REQUEST **FOR** CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

BOX RCE

Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

> Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995

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Application Number		09/582,756
Confirmation Number		2802
Filing Date		June 30, 2000
First Named Inventor		Akihiko UCIIIYAMA
Group Art Unit		1711
Examiner Name		T. Boykin
Matter Number		Q59834
Title	RETARDATION FILM AND OPTICAL DEVICE EMPLOYING IT	

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. 1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 a.

Previously submitted i. D Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on iii. 🗆 Other b. 🗹 Enclosed **FAX RECEIVED** i.

Amendment/Reply ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) 'AUG 0 9 2002 iii. Information Disclosure Statements (IDS) iv. D Petition for Extension of Time PETITIONS OFFICE v. D Other 2. MISCELLANEOUS Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of Months b. Other Petition to Withdraw From Issue Under 37 CFR 1.313(a) and (c) 3. FEES Please charge the RCE statutory fee of \$740.00 to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached. SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY Name Jennifer M. Hayes Registration No. 40,641 Signature Date August 9, 2002

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